

10 Leading Causes of Injury Death (All Races, Both Sexes) by Age Groups, North Carolina: 2006

	Age Groups										
Rank	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	All Ages
1	Suffocation - Unintentional 23	MVT - Unintentional 25	MVT - Unintentional 22	MVT - Unintentional 30	MVT - Unintentional 370	MVT - Unintentional 253	MVT - Unintentional 260	Poisoning - Unintentional 280	MVT - Unintentional 146	Fall - Unintentional 437	MVT - Unintentional 1,622
2	MVT - Unintentional 6	Drowning - Unintentional 10	Fire/Burn - Unintentional 6	Drowning - Unintentional 6	Firearm - Assault 144	Poisoning - Unintentional 184	Poisoning - Unintentional 246	MVT - Unintentional 233	Firearm - Self-Inflicted 95	MVT - Unintentional 276	Poisoning - Unintentional 902
3	Unspecified - Assault 6	Suffocation - Unintentional 6	Firearm - Assault 4	Firearm - Assault 4	Poisoning - Unintentional 110	Firearm - Assault 118	Firearm - Self-Inflicted 108	Firearm - Self-Inflicted 146	Poisoning - Unintentional 52	Unspecified - Unintentional 238	Firearm - Self-Inflicted 656
4	Other spec/ class - Assault 5	Unspecified - Assault 4	Other land transport - Unintentional 3	Fire/Burn - Unintentional 2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted 89	Firearm - Self-Inflicted 79	Firearm - Assault 91	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted 63	Fall - Unintentional 38	Suffocation - Unintentional 140	Fall - Unintentional 543
5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional 4	Fire/Burn - Unintentional 3	Cut/ pierce - Assault 2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted 2	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted 34	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted 37	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted 51	Firearm - Assault 41	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted 27	Firearm - Self-Inflicted 137	Firearm - Assault 431
6	Adverse effects - Other 3	Firearm - Assault 2	Drowning - Unintentional 2	Other spec/class - Unintentional 2	Drowning - Unintentional 14	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted 29	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted 40	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted 30	Suffocation - Unintentional 22	Adverse effects - Other 77	Unspecified - Unintentional 307
7	Drowning - Unintentional 1	Natural/Environment - Unintentional 2	Fire/Burn - Assault 1	Poisoning - Unintentional 2	Cut/ pierce - Assault 12	Cut/ pierce - Assault 19	Fall - Unintentional 25	Fall - Unintentional 26	Unspecified - Unintentional 22	Fire/Burn - Unintentional 55	Suffocation - Unintentional 221
8	Fall - Unintentional 1	Other spec/NEC - Assault 2	Other spec/class - Unintentional 1	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted 2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted 11	Drowning - Unintentional 14	Drowning - Unintentional 11	Adverse effects - Other 19	Drowning - Unintentional 17	Poisoning - Unintentional 27	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted 196
9	Poisoning - Assault 1	Other spec/ class - Assault 2	Pedestrian, other - Unintentional 1	Fall - Unintentional 1	Unspecified - Unintentional 7	Fall - Unintentional 10	Pedestrian, other - Unintentional 11	Unspecified - Unintentional 18	Firearm - Assault 17	Drowning - Unintentional 14	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted 168
10	Struck - Assault 1	Pedestrian, other - Unintentional 2	Struck - Assault 1	Fire/ Burn - Assault 1	Firearm - Unintentional 6	Unspecified - Assault 8	Unspecified - Unintentional 11	Fire/Burn - Unintentional 15	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted 16	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted 14	Adverse effects - Other 121

Color Coding: Blue - Unintentional Injury; Red = Intentional - Assault; Green = Intentional - Self-inflicted; White = Medical Misadventure. In case of ties, causes are listed alphabetically in terms of rankings.

Data Sources: Deaths: State Center for Health Statistics, death file 2006; Analyses conducted by Injury Epidemiology and Surveillance Unit.